

The governors of the hunting club have appointed a committee, which is authorized to take charge of whatever portion of the plant is awarded to the club by the members, and to increase that portion into a good plant for the coming season's hunt. If the hunting club is judged to be wrong in the question at issue, the committee is authorized to provide an entire plant, including full complement of horses and hounds. Mr. Griswold determined not to withdraw his resignation, but is still

"I think as to what he will do with his hands. I decided it probable, however, that he will not reorganize the old Queens County Hunt. "One hunt on the island is enough," he said, "and I do not think there will be any more." Freshbrook is progressing fast, and will do good work beyond a doubt."

A friend of Mr. Griswold said:

"The Rockaway people have no one to take Mr. Griswold's place. John D. Cheever is the only one competent and he is not now in position to devote the necessary time. If they attempt to hunt, they will have such a circus they had before 1893. I shall never forget the bungling which occurred the first time I hunted with them. The

had the hounds in a hand, and when they were ready he opened the door and allowed the dogs to rush pell-mell, better-seller, without control, in all directions. The result was that the hounds hunted the drag "tell," where they started on the course where the bag had been brought in instead of going over it, as had been intended."

DEPEW ON THE NOMINATION.

HIS FIFTY-FIRST DECLARATION THAT HE
IS NOT A CANDIDATE.

HIS CHOICE AND HIS OPINION ABOUT NEW-YORK

From The New York Press.

The following dispatch has been received from Albany, Albany, March 21.—It is stated on good political authority that Channing M. Depue at Albany in a recent week wrote a letter to the public absolutely withdrawing his name from the Presidential candidacy.

A reporter visited Mr. Depue at his home last night and asked him whether it was true that he was about to write a letter withdrawing his name from consideration as a Presidential candidate.

"I am not writing letters," he said. "I am not writing letters on political terms on politics, nor do I intend to do so. That report probably started where many other reports and allegations have started. I have been interviewed in connection with interviews with myself start—in the brain of the originator. There are interviews purporting to have been had with me appearing all over the country. Only one interview was conducted in New York, and that was conducted in New York."

Western paper. It made me talk on politics and labor questions, and placed the interview in my office. No such interview ever took place in my office, nor do I recall seeing a reporter on the day of the alleged interview.

"Are you a candidate for the Presidential nomination?"

Mr. Dewey " was asked.

"I have perhaps said fifty times already that I am not a candidate. I do not care to talk about myself."

"Have you heard a word to talk regarding a vice-presidential candidate?"

"I have views regarding other men, but no personal views regarding myself."

"Who is your choice for President?"

"I have never hesitated to announce my choice as Mr. Dewey."

"Do you think it possible, as has been said, that the mention of Mr. Blaine's name in the Chicago Convention may arouse such enthusiasm, that there will be a stampede and Mr. Blaine will be unanimously nominated?"

"I think that very possible."

"Do you believe that Mr. Blaine, in the face of his expressed desire to have his name withdrawn from con-

"Good. Mr. Blaine would have this advantage, that all stories about him are old. Old stories, like venerable chestnuts, never shoot twice in the same place. Consequently, if Mr. Blaine was to run against Mr. Cleveland again, he would be making a second attempt to repeat what he did in 1884."

again. But Mr. Cleveland's Administration would furnish ample new material on which to base attacks upon Mr. Depew was then asked what he thought of their candidates, supposing that Mr. Blaine's desire, as expressed in his letter of declination, was complied with. "The public opinion," he said, "has a number of good men from whom to choose. There is Sherman, Allison, and Harrison, and Gresham, and Alger, and others too numerous to mention, any one of whom would make a strong run for the Presidency."

"Do you repeat Mr. Sherman as a strong man?"

"Yes, he has been in public life for a generation and has demonstrated himself to be a statesman. His ability as Secretary of the Treasury has never been questioned and his administration of that office has made him very strong with business men."

"Is he about Gresham?"

"Mr. Gresham is a very good man. I know him personally, and know him to possess every ability that could be demanded of a candidate of the Republican party."

"Do you think that Mr. Blaine, any of the other candidates, could successfully carry this State?"

"I do not. I believe that any one of them has good fighting chance to carry New-York, and that the result is much more than that score."

HOW THE "WORTHLESS ATLANTA" SAILORS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC OVER HER SEA-SIDE QUALITIES—A SPLENDID RECORD.

The following is an extract from a letter from

officer of the United States cruiser Atlanta, sent to the Navy Department from Port au Prince, Hayti:

I can assure you that I have every confidence in this ship. She is the most satisfactory vessel that I ever sailed in. Not one of the other ships that I have been attached to would have made such good weather of the Bermudas on our passage here. I am very glad, because those people who have cried down the ship can have nothing to say now. It has been heralded around as the opinion of some scientific fellows in Washington that this ship was the worst in the world. The centre of gravity

sea-seconds. We got a good knock from a heavy sea under her quarter or abeam, that she would "turn true." We did meet some very heavy seas, and we did not turn upside down. More than a score of times the following seas were so high that they raised themselves between my eye and the horizon; but not a boghead of water came over our taffrail. She always managed to skirt the gutter. Everybody on board is in ecstasies over her ability and seagoing qualities.

She rises to the seas splendidly; we have proved that

she is par excellence in running with a full following
see, that she is just as good in a heavy beam sea, as
that she will lay to like a duck. I hope that our success
will settle all this talk about the "worthless Atlanta"
etc., etc. I wish that we had twenty such ships. A
no time during the very heavy weather would the sea
have interfered with the working of the two 8-inch guns

JOSEPH WHIPPLE STILL UNDER CUSTODY.
Joseph H. Whipple, the agent of the Pembroke Knitting Mills at Battle Creek, Mich., who was committed to the City Prison by Police Justice Andrew J. White on charge of absconding with \$500 worth of goods belonging to the mills, and is held to await a requisition from the Governor of Michigan, was before Justice O'Brien in the Supreme Court, Chambers, yesterday on a writ of habeas corpus.

corpus. His counsel, Peter Mitchell, asked that he be discharged on the ground that there was no evidence sufficient to hold him and that the papers were defective. Assistant District Attorney Jerome insisted that the commitment was regular. The decision was reserved.

TOBACCO AND HEART DISEASE.

Some Unpleasant Truths for Hard Smokers and Users
of the Weed.



According to a recent paper read by Professor Adolph Ziebler before the German Medical Congress, the excessive use of tobacco produces certain diseases as surely as

According to Dr. Zieber, who is not an anti-tobacco crank (using the weed in moderation himself), the effect of tobacco on any 100 men is about as follows: On 2 per cent a rank poison, and should never be used in any form, producing on such men neuralgic spasm of the hands, weak action, fainting dizziness spells, confusion of mind, stupor, etc., etc.; on 30 per cent, nervousness, etc.

His research and experiments prove that excess tobacco products thousands of cases of heart disease makes multitudes of dyspeptics, causes many sudden deaths from Neuralgia Spasms and Faintness of the heart.

(Angina Pectoris), produces cancer of the mouth, throat and tongue, extreme nervous exhaustion and bloodlessness of the brain and spine, cancer of the stomach and bowels and abscess of the liver.

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the antidotal portion. It has saved many a young cigarette smoker's life. Tobacco produces dyspepsia, S. O. I. cures it. Tobacco produces anaemia or bloodlessness in the brain, faint spells, giddiness on stooping, spasm of the heart, weak pulse, headache, neuralgia of the heart, etc., etc. SCOTCH OATS ESSENCE cures or counteracts all of these.

quit, even with the cancer of General Grant, the Crown Prince of Germany and hundreds of others staring you in the face, at least use an antidote. It will do you no harm certainly and may, very probably will, save your life.

Feel your pulse and see if it is as strong, bounding and robust as it should be without tobacco.